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Dear Parents / Carers

YEAR 1 Our School – GEOGRAPHY ENRICHMENT DAY

The Year 1 Geography topic this half term is 'Our School'. Because of this, we are exploring the locality of Quarry Hill Academy and introducing how to read and create maps.

We are pleased to let you know that we have arranged for an enrichment day to help us explore this topic further. This will take place on **Friday 29th November 2024**. It will be a very exciting day with children learning more about 'Our School's' locality in greater depth and we hope the experience will help to capture the children's imagination, further developing their geographical knowledge.

During the day, the Year 1 children will have the opportunity to explore atlas's and improve their understanding of this topic by creating maps of the school and 3D structures of the local area.

To enhance the children's involvement even further, children are encouraged to dress up as someone who may work with maps – this could be an explorer, bus or train driver or surveyor. Perhaps they could dress up in green, brown and blue colours to represent the Earth!

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to speak to us.

Yours sincerely,

Mrs Venemore and Miss Scott

Year 1 Teachers

